

Validation Planning Schedule

April 1, 1997

AM-1 Time-Frame Teams

(ASTER, CERES, LIS, MISR, MODIS, MOPITT, SAGE III)

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| Post-ATBD Revised Validation Plan and Validation Summary Charts | <i>July 11, 1997</i> |
| Selection (NRA) of Investigators for AM-1 Validation | <i>August 1997</i> |
| Quarterly Update of Validation Summary Charts | <i>Jan, Apr, July, Oct</i> |
| Final Updated Validation Plan | |
| LIS and CERES/TRMM | <i>October 1997</i> |
| AM-1 Teams | <i>May 1998</i> |
| SAGE III | <i>July 1998</i> |

See also: [Guidelines for Document Submission](#)

PM-1 Time-Frame Teams

(AIRS/AMSU/HSB, AMSR, CERES*, MODIS*, SeaWinds)

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| Validation Summary Charts and Draft Validation Plan | <i>August 15, 1997</i> |
| PM-1 Validation Workshop | <i>September 1997</i> |
| Revised Validation Plan and Validation Summary Charts | <i>December 12, 1997</i> |
| Peer Review of Validation Plans | <i>Spring 1998</i> |
| Post-review Revised Validation Plan and Validation Summary Charts | <i>Summer 1998</i> |
| Quarterly Update of Validation Summary Charts | <i>Jan, Apr, July, Oct</i> |
| PM-1 Time-frame Validation NRA | <i>TBA</i> |
| Final Update of Validation Plan | |
| SeaWinds | <i>July 1999</i> |
| PM-1 Teams | <i>November 2000</i> |

* CERES and MODIS are expected to provide Validation Plan Summary Charts specific to the PM-1 mission (through 2002) and to be active in the PM-1 Validation Workshop. The revised full validation plans generated in response to the 1996/97 AM-1 ATBD reviews will adequately serve for PM-1 planning purposes until submission of their final updated AM-1 validation plans just prior to the launch of the AM-1 platform in June 1998. These teams will then develop their full validation plans for the PM-1 mission with final plans due just prior to launch of the PM-1 platform as with the other teams on the PM-1 platform.

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